



July 1, 2015

Update #2

Open Letter to our Residents - Brookfield Town Park Beach

We are happy to report that the Town Park Beach is scheduled to open this Saturday July 4, 2015.

What to expect when we open on Saturday, July 4th?

Folks will enter the main pedestrian gate for check in as usual. A designated stone walkway to the new expanded beach area will be provided. Temporary restroom facilities will be on site. However changing rooms and the outdoor shower will not yet be available. Please wear your bathing suit to the beach.

There will be finish work happening on the majority of the building and site but the beach area is complete and ready for use. Thank you again for your patience as we begin the close out of this sizable project.

What to bring with you?

- Everything that you would normally bring to the beach i.e. sunscreen, towels etc...
- Beach chair, there will likely be little to no access to picnic tables for the month of July.
- Beach umbrella - until the building opens there is very limited access to shade on the beach itself.
- Water - potable water will be available once the building opens in mid-July.
- Food and drink will be allowed on the beach until the remainder of the site opens in the coming weeks. Please note that no concession will be provided until the building opens.

What to expect in the next 1 to 2 weeks?

The building will be open by the middle of this month. The finish work is nearing completion on the new building which features: a family changing area, men's and women's restrooms/changing areas, concession and common room where one can take a break from the sun.

Site work is on-going for the next few of weeks and will not interfere with use of the actual beach area. Once the site work is completed we will need some time for grass establishment throughout the park. Foot traffic will be limited primarily to the building and the beach areas. The other areas of the park including the playground/swings, volleyball court, and picnic areas will be opened in stages as finish work is completed.

What's happening with the Brookfield Muskrats Swim Team and Swim Lessons?

The Brookfield Muskrats Swim Team will begin practicing at the Town Beach on Tuesday July 7. (No practice on Monday July 6).

Swim lessons will begin at the beach on Monday July 6th for the remainder of the season.

Thank you all for your patience,

Dennis DiPinto, Director
Brookfield Parks & Recreation